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TEHRAN FOR AMB SULLIVAN FROM HUMMEL

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINT, PK, IR
SUBJECT: QUESTIONS ON THE SHAH'S CONFIDENCE

1. MY DEFENSE REPRESENTATIVE HAD A CONVERSATION WITH A PAK JCS STAFF OFFICER MAY 26 WHO HAD ACCOMPANIED JCS CHAIRMAN GENERAL SHARIFF ON HIS RECENT VISIT TO TEHRAN. THE STAFF OFFICER SAID THAT THE SHAH APPEARED "FRIGHTENED AND UPSET" AND "NO LONGER EXUDED CONFIDENCE." THE SHAH WAS DESCRIBED AS BEWILDERED, AND UNABLE TO UNDERSTAND "WHY HIS PEOPLE WERE TURNING AGAINST HIM."

2. THIS, OF COURSE, MATCHES OBSERVATIONS YOU HAVE MADE AND IT IS OF INTEREST THAT SENIOR PAK MILITARY OFFICERS HAVE COME AWAY WITH SIMILAR IMPRESSIONS AND ARE SPREADING THEM HERE.

3. REGARDS.
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